New Appointments in the Women's College.

166. **MR. ITTOOP ITTEECHAN** (*Kunnatnad*): Will the Government be pleased to state the number of new appointments made in the Women's College and the names of those who were so appointed, in connection with the raising of the Women's College to the First Grade?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): Eleven. The names of those who were so appointed are—

1. *Principal.* Miss E. C. Carrapiett, M. A., L. T., to act as Principal temporarily till the arrival of a Professor-Principal to be recruited from England.
2. *Professor of English.* Miss M. I. Rosemeyer, B. A., L. T. to act as Professor temporarily till the arrival of a Professor of English to be recruited from England.
3. *Assistant Professor of English.* Miss E. Gomez, M. A. (now in England on study leave).
4. *Lecturer in English.* Miss Daisy Muttunayakam, B. A. (Hons) and Cambridge Teachers' Diploma.
5. *Professor of History.* Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi, B. A. (Oxon) Diploma in Education, etc., to act as Professor temporarily till the arrival of a Lady Professor from England.
6. *Assistant Professor of History.* Miss Anna Nidiri, B. A. (Hons)
7. *Lecturer in History.* Srimati K. Sarada Amma, B. A. (Hons.)
8. *Lecturer in Natural Science.* Mr. A. P. Matthew, B. A. (Hons) Acting.
9. *Lecturer in Malayalam.* Srimati K. Minakshi Amma, M. A.
10. *Demonstrator for Physics and Chemistry.* Miss Mary John, B. A.
11. *Pandit in Sanskrit.* Srimati T. J. Ponnamma, B. A.

Retention of a Medical Officer who completed the fifty-fifth year of his Age.

167. **MR. ITTOOP ITTEECHAN** (*Kunnatnad*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether it is a fact that a Medical Officer was retained in service for some time after the expiry of his term of office since the Board did not give effect to the Government order to retire him from service on his completing the 55th year of age; and

(*b*) if so, the name of the Medical Officer so retained, the period that he continued to be in service after completing his term of office, the loss the Government incurred on that account, the name of the officer responsible for that, the action taken by them in the matter and the result of the same?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Surgeon T. J. Manavaliah. He was in service for 7 days after completing his term of office. The Government incurred no loss whatever on this account. The question as to who was responsible for the delay is under investigation.

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